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TALK OF THE TOWN

See Abbott's display of suits. Special prices this week on New Idea subscriptions at Abbott's.

Myer S. Levin of Merchant street is passing a few days in Burlington on business.

Mrs. Stephen Ouimet left this morning for a visit of a few days with relatives in Fair Haven.

Thomas Abare left this morning for Littleton, N. H., where he is making a business visit of a few days.

Alexander Rae of Pleasant street left this morning for Springfield, Mass., where he has secured employment.

Mrs. T. H. Cave, Jr., who was called to Waterbury by the illness of her brother, returned to her home on Wellington street last evening.

The men of the Barre class of the First Baptist church will hold a sugar social to-morrow (Wednesday) evening at the church. The public is invited.

Mrs. D. C. Jarvis and daughter, Sylvia, returned to their home on Orange street yesterday after visiting at the home of George Jarvis in Burlington over the week-end.

W. E. McPhee, who received a telegram last night advising him of the serious illness of his father in Theford Mines, P. Q., left for his former home this morning to be with his parent.

Regular meeting of the L. A. A. O. H. Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock sharp. The April circle of the L. A. A. O. H., has planned to have a musical and literary program. Sugar on snow will be served after the entertainment. All the ladies are invited to be present.

Washington canines in bathtubs built for humans don't go in Pearl street any more. Landlord A. H. Buzzell of the hostelry of that name got wind of a little dog scene that was being enacted in his hotel Sunday and his straight-out investigation confirmed a suspicion that the bathtub was being used for a purpose that wasn't strictly conventional.

According to information furnished the police, Louis Badger, owner and bather of the purp, did not take kindly to intervention. There were hasty words and if the authorities are rightly informed blows passed. Badger is said to have made a formal complaint to Grand Juror William Wishart and this forenoon Mr. Buzzell was summoned to court. On a complaint charging a breach of the peace the respondent entered a plea of not guilty when arraigned before Magistrate H. W. Scott and arrangements were made for a hearing to be held next Tuesday. The respondent was allowed to go on his own recognizance.

Police headquarters was advised this forenoon of the presence on the roof of the Miles brick building of a marauder at 2 o'clock this morning. Occupants of the upper tenements heard the early morning visitor and one of their number armed himself with a revolver and instituted an investigation. The marauder carried a searchlight and used it effectively in defeating the efforts of the revolver man to establish his identity. A young fellow who was returning home to the block from Montpelier was confused with the stranger on the rooftop, but he gave a clear account of his presence in the building and was permitted to go his way. For a time the marauder continued to dig his heels into the tin roof of the block, but after a while the footsteps died away. This morning it was learned that access to the roof was gained by passing through a window of Clan Gordon hall in the Bolster block. The police have not finished their investigation.

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BARRE DAILY TIMES

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1917.

The Weather

Fair to-night and Wednesday; warmer Wednesday; fresh northwest gales diminishing.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Muslin 12½¢ in Abbott's bargain basement. Fancy ribbons 10¢ in Abbott's bargain basement.

Buy a pair of \$5.50 LaFrance shoes at Shea's for \$3.49.

Miss Mary Drummond of North Main street returned yesterday after passing a few days with friends in Burlington.

Ask for the model for your figure and assured of a corset stylish, perfect-fitting and absolutely comfortable. Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc.

Menu for supper at Universalist church Wednesday night: Fish chowder, spaghetti, rolls, pickles, assorted pies, tea, coffee. Price, 25¢.

Peter Gonyo, who has been employed as clerk at the Smith & Cummings market during the past few weeks, has completed his duties.

Mrs. C. C. Perkins and daughter, Gladys, of Washington street have returned from Hardwick, where they were called by the illness of a relative.

Home cooked food, aprons, rompers, fancy articles on sale at Universalist church Wednesday afternoon and evening. Sale opens at 3 o'clock; supper at 6.

D. Janion MacNichol of Boston is staying at Hotel Barre while passing several days in the city on business connected with the granite advertising campaign.

Miss Rose Smith, who has been visiting friends in East Barre during the past week, left yesterday for her home in Springfield, where she is engaged as a stenographer.

Trustees of the New England Order of Protection yesterday turned over to Mrs. George R. Sanborn a draft for \$2,000, the sum being the amount of insurance carried in the order by her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Ladum and daughter, Cecile, who have been passing a few days in the city as the guests of Mrs. P. M. Marston of Summer street, returned yesterday to their home in Burlington.

Chief Sinclair was called to Depot square this morning to arrest a man whose conduct was described as obnoxious by attaches in one of the stations. The man was locked up on an intoxication charge.

Miss Alice Button, who has been visiting at the home of her father, Charles Button of Chelsea, during the Easter recess, passed through the city to-day while en route to Johnson to resume her school work.

Charles Corry of Berlin, who entered a plea of not guilty when arrested and arraigned on an intoxication charge in city court last week, appeared before Magistrate H. W. Scott this morning and reversed his plea by acknowledging a second offense. The respondent was fined \$15 and costs, which he expected to pay.

Among the guests arriving at Hotel Barre last night and this morning were the following people: W. B. Shattuck of Stockbridge, E. W. Bralley of Concord, Vt., Mrs. Mabel J. Terry of South Ryegate, Thomas B. Garvey of Burlington, R. B. Hosmer of Hartford, M. J. Keller of Springfield and W. S. Hamilton of Boston.

Mike Cerasoli, who has been stationed as guard at the arsenal in Montpelier since the 31st of March, was a visitor in the city yesterday before going to Fort Ethan Allen, where he, together with six other guards, who have been stationed at the Montpelier arsenal, will be mustered in. Six guards from Fort Ethan Allen arrived yesterday to take the places of those who left for the fort. Mr. Cerasoli is a member of Co. H in Montpelier and is the only student at Spaulding high school, who is enlisted in the Vermont troops.

Desecration of a United States flag and the mysterious disappearance of flags from houses in the fourth ward are causing some concern among residents of the city and a possible clue to the disappearance of the flag which hung from the First Presbyterian church was discovered this morning in the meadow near the playground on West Second street. There granite workers on their way to the sheds found a large flag lying in the meadow mud. Apparently someone had torn the stripes into ribbons and then used the banner in wiping machinery. It was covered with dirty grease and bore other marks of abuse. A few nights ago a flag owned by Rev. Edgar Crossland was taken from the north side of the Presbyterian church and there is some reason for believing that the torn banner is the one removed from the church staff. On School street residents have had their flags removed over night in the past week.

The Friendly Bible class of the Methodist church will hold its regular business meeting and social time in the church parlor Wednesday night at 7:30. Every member is requested to be present.

The Easter Monday concert and dance which was held at Howland hall last evening proved to be one of the most successful social functions of the winter in Barre, and one of the largest crowds of dancers ever gathered in the hall made the most of their opportunity. The concert, which was held before the dancing commenced brought into the limelight some of the best local talent which the town can boast, and too much credit cannot be given the people who took part in the program. The program consisted of a flute solo by Paul Simonon, who was accompanied by Mrs. William Holden on the piano, and songs by Messrs. James Bennett and Mason Pierce. After the concert, the crowd immediately started dancing to the strains of Carroll's five-piece orchestra, and continued until the midnight hour. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, the corners as well as the punch table having Easter lilies to give it a truly springtime effect, and showed the untiring efforts which have been put in by the committees in making the entertainment the success which it proved to be. Not the least of importance was the punch table, where punch was served by Mrs. S. N. Parker, Mrs. F. W. Robinson, Mrs. James Given, Mrs. William Robins and Mrs. Nelson E. Lewis. The patronesses were Mrs. W. D. Reed, Mrs. F. G. Howland, Mrs. N. J. Roberts and Mrs. Waldron Shield.

Members of Winnetta council: All those going to East Barre please meet Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock prompt at Gow's livery stable.

Regular meeting of Iroquois tribe, No. 16, Tuesday evening, April 10, at 7 o'clock. Social dance will follow the meeting. Last one of the season. Corn and venison will be served.

Special convocation of Granite chapter, No. 26, R. A. M., Masonic hall, Tuesday, April 10, at 7 p. m. Work, R. A. degree. Per order E. H. P.

WANTED—A position doing general housework by reliable lady. Reply by letter to "G", care of Times office. 221*

WANTED—A single or married man to work on a farm. A good position to right party. Inquire at 372 North Main St., upstairs forenoon or evening. 221*

FOR SALE—A second-hand typewriter will sell cheap. Apply to R. S. Currier, 6 Currier block. 221*

WANTED—A steady man to work on farm; must be good milker and teamster; apply to Mrs. C. H. Fitts, Montpelier Junction, Vt., tel. 442-M. Montpelier. 221*

WANTED—Girl to work on counter and help generally; apply Baltimore Lunch. 221*

TO RENT—Downstairs basement at 41 Currier street; electric lights and modern improvements; good-sized garden; apply at Mrs. Flora M. Houston, 55 Maple avenue, tel. 172-2. 221*

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THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY

TALK OF THE TOWN

Silk dresses at Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc. A regular meeting of Sons of Veterans' auxiliary, No. 5, Wednesday evening, April 11, at 7:30.

A son weighing seven pounds was born yesterday, April 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stetson of 14 Charles street.

"Heartstrings," a five-act drama, featuring Maude George, Francellus Bellington and Allan Holubar, at the Bijou to-day.—adv.

An austere New Englander with a military carriage that belied his 78 years stalked into an uptown barber shop yesterday afternoon and made the customary arrangements with the tonsorialist for a hair-cut. Once settled in the chair, the venerable customer insisted upon holding the big bib which the barber uses tightly about his person in order to form a pocket for the wisps of iron gray hair that ever and anon fell from the monotonous click of the tonsorial shears.

By way of explaining this conformance to a habit, the man stated that he was submitting to a barber's haircut for the first time in his life and just couldn't get away from the idea that he must keep the hair from falling to the floor. The customer's aside furnished the proper opening for an inquisitorial volley from the barber and before the job was done the man had explained that his wife usually attended to his hair and that he shaved himself.

MIDDLESEX

Schools in town commence Monday, April 16.

Miss Griffin, who has completed her duties here as bookkeeper for the Mad River Lumber company, went Monday to her home in New Hampshire.

Misses Bessie and Mabel Stockwell returned Sunday to their schools in Norwich and Newport, N. H.

District Superintendent Dukeshire will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday morning.

E. L. Wallen was in town Sunday.

George Herring has moved his family and household goods to Colchester, where he will have employment in a creamery.

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